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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Technology Center 2100

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

This is a Request for a Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.08

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to : Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, Mail Stop RCE, January 22, 2004.

Francis Guerra
(Name of Person Mailing Paper)

Signature _____

1. Submission required under C.F.R. § 1.114

a. X Previously submitted

i. X Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on December 18, 2003
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)

ii. _____ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

iii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

i. Amendment/Reply

ii Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. **Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)**

iv. Other _____

2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months.
(Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. _____ Other _____

3. c. _____ Applicant is entitled to small entity status

4. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No.: 08-1275.

i. **X** RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F. R. § § 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. Other _____

b. X Check in the amount of \$385.00 enclosed

c. _____ **Payment by credit card (form PTO-2038 enclosed)**

5. ☒ **Return Receipt Postcard**

Dated: January 22, 2004

By: Jonathan O. Owens
Name: Jonathan O. Owens
Registration No.: 37,902

(c) for a period of _____

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